

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_0762A  
Yoshihiro KANDA et al. : **Confirmation No. 2708**  
Serial No. 10/542,342 : Group Art Unit 2627  
Filed July 14, 2005 : Examiner Mohammad N. Edun  
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 24, 2009, the Applicants hereby elect the species drawn to Figure 1. Claims 32-49 read on the elected species.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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